

ROOFS PENETRATE EASTWARD, FORTIFY RIDGES AND PASSES

LONDON, May 14.—The Italians are landing large military troops at Zara and Sebenico on the coast of Dalmatia, according to a Reuter dispatch from Belgrade, the Serbian capital. The troops are being moved eastward and are fortifying the coast and passes.

THE PRICE OF PEACE

PROPOSALS ON TERRITORY READY

BERLIN, Tuesday, May 12. (By the Associated Press.)—Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau, head of the German peace mission, will today hand to the entente representatives a note containing counter-proposals regarding the cessions of territory, according to the press.

menits a military contingent sent on seven bloody fronts to Neville St. St. Michel and back to Memphis arrived at the Union Square in Memphis Special Conference. The day that ever happened. It broke, when he hit the ground, he was the first to die. He was to his wife and two babies, by the whole troop of private, and the whole of the family, their relatives as fast as they them.

On 23 months since Capt. three-year-old son had seen the boy hardly knew him, he accepted his happy fate, fighting with good grace. His father, who was only a few weeks ago, he went away with the disturbance company, just opened

wide in wonder at all the "car-
may-be been gone 23 months and
," Capt. Drake declared, which
by the bulk of his war "rom-
a few minutes' rest at the
"Capt. Drake led the
a parade through Main
where they were greeted with
various ovations.
first squad marched Private
own in "data" and on crutches.
of the fact that he was "in-
troll he was able to make very
own and stuck with the parade
of the fact that he was "in-
troll in an accidental ex-
which killed nine of the com-
several months, he "just

of the boys were wound
ed. The first was re-
many, and one, Sergi A. E.
ore was a black band and a gold
e. The second was a young
Hovse, who was a victim of the
plow which took away one
of the boys. The third was
around up at the Hotel
shortly before 1 o'clock, where
the first was drawn out
as guests of the Red Cross.
man had with him one relative,
and a woman, who was the
of the Memphis ambulance
when it left Memphis, more

The Democrats might be asked to concede that Senator Cummings was representing himself in the finance committee in organized and thus off-setting the efforts of the other members. But three of the 49 Republican senators and senators-elect attended the conference, and the following were present: Senators Cummins, LaFollette, Grouard, Townsend, Lenroot and Fall. The conference chose its candidates for all other senate offices: George A. Sanders for governor, John W. Barker for secretary, and David Barry, a Providence, R. I., newspaper man, for sergeant-at-arms.

Senator Curtis, of Kansas, was re-elected.

from Feb. 21, 1918, clear up signing of the armistice, and the return to Germany. The rest of its time in France under continued subject to the straining of the nerves.

Memphis June 7, 1917, all vol- and eager to do what they they the world could not the reception which they re- Wednesday morning indicated the impression was made by it considerable.

ET CAR FARE
CASE BEING HEARD

WILLIE Tonn, Mayor, said (SPT) the case in the Memphis street railroad is in progress before the courts and he is not sure of this. A number of Memphis law office officials are present for the case. He said that the attorney, J. H. Hanover, his assistant, Monteverde, and others, will be chairman of the steering committee, but Senator Lodge deferred action on the bill until later. Besides authorizing these two committees, the conference directed Senator Jones to call for a bill to be headed by Senator New of Indiana, for distribution of patronage. The bill would give the right of senators who have seen long service, were adopted. They provide that chairmen of the 10 standing committees shall be eligible for a place only on one other committee and that the number of committees shall be limited to 17.

PHILIPPA SITUATION
IN CITY IS IMPROVED

The diptheria situation in Memphis was much improved Wednesday morning, according to J. L. Andrews, superintendent of the city health department.

The health authorities held a special meeting Tuesday afternoon to go over the situation and to plan for the coming week. It was estimated that 40 cases of the disease had been reported since Monday, 18, representing school children, and seven being children under school age. The remaining 23 were children out of school and adults.

LOUIS BANKS UNIT.—The St. Louis, Mo., Mechanics, American and Third National banks, which merged, it was announced, will be known as the Union Third National Bank. The deposits of the three banks, which together total \$135,684,000, it was said,

ST. JOHN'S, N. E. May 14.—Harry G. Hawker and Capt. Frederick Raynham, the British aviators who have been waiting here over a month to make a trans-Atlantic flight tonight announced that weather indications were such that they probably would not be able to make their start before the end of the week.